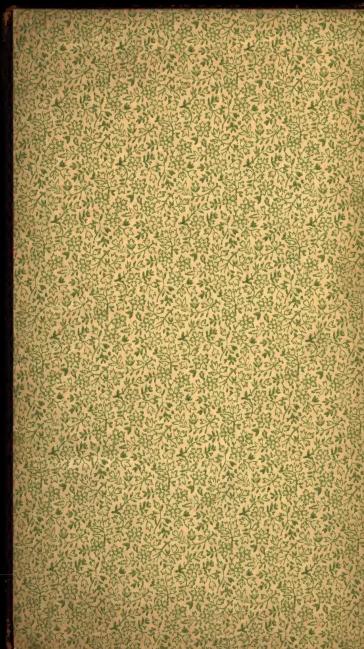
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CONTAINING USEFUL INFORMATION AND TABLES APPERTAINING TO THE USE OF

FIRE BRICK

SILICA, MAGNESIA, CHROME, FIRE CLAY BRICK AND OTHER REFRACTORY MATERIALS



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INTRODUCTORY

In presenting this catalog to the trade, it is our purpose to make it explanatory of our full line of refractory materials, and to show a few of the various shapes which are ordinarily carried in stock at our different plants. It is also our aim to present a book which will contain information of value to the various consumers of refractories, and to prove an aid in the selection of proper materials for their particular requirements. While we have endeavored to cover the entire fire brick field, it is possible no mention has been made of brick adaptable for your needs. If so, correspondence or an interview will determine, according to circumstances, which is the most suitable brand for use. manufacture brands suitable for every purpose where fire brick are required, and stand ready at all times to give you the benefit of knowledge gained by over thirty years' experience in the manufacture of all high grade brick.

We control a supply of the highest grade Styrian dead burned Magnesite produced in Europe.

We import direct from the Orient a Low Silica Chrome Ore which is superior to any coming to this country for Metallurgical purposes.

"When 'Quality' is considered we are foremost in the field."

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We are pioneers in the manufacture of high grade refractories, and by continually making improvements which embody features that make for greater uniformity and quality of output, and with important economies that will always permit us to meet the market price of fire brick and other refractory materials, we are prepared to figure on your requirements no matter how large or small they may be. From the raw material, which is the best obtainable, to the finishing of the product, the entire process is in the hands of trained men whose knowledge and actual experience enables us to produce the highest grade refractories.

Open Hearth Steel Furnaces.
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Lime, Brick, Sewer-Pipe Kilns.
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Soda Ash Kilns and Rotary Dryers.
Oil Furnaces and Checker Settings.
Glass House Work.
Pottery Kiln Shapes and Clays.

THE NATIONAL FIRE BRICK CO.

BRANDS

National-Standard-American-S. F. Co.

This plant is located at Strasburg, Ohio, and the company owns the largest body of flint and plastic clay in Ohio, the vein averaging from four to six feet in thickness. Analyses show the quality of these clays to compare favorably with any other clay in the country. Brick made from this clay has gained an enviable reputation all over the country. The brick are dried by our own waste heat process, thus cooling the kilns much better than by the old process. The large, modern kilns have a capacity from 90,000 to 125,000 brick each. The factory is located in close proximity to the clay mines, and the manufacture is under the careful supervision of trained and experienced men. Experts have examined the factory and pronounce it one of the most improved plants of its kind in the country.

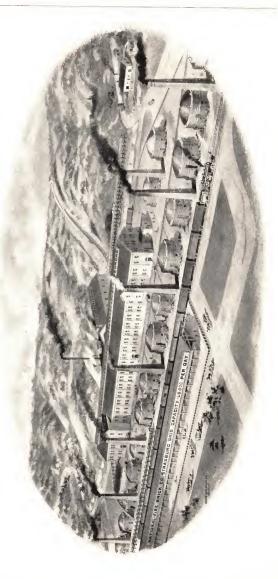
The factory being designed with great floor and dryer capacity, the most difficult shapes in large quantities can be made up and shipped

promptly.

The brands manufactured here are especially suitable for Blast Furnace Stoves, Open Hearth Checkers, or any place where brick are sub-

jected to similar conditions.

This plant makes a specialty of Blast Furnace Stove Brick, Open Hearth Checkers and has the largest capacity in the country for that class of work.



THE MINOR FIRE BRICK CO.

BRANDS Minor—Empire

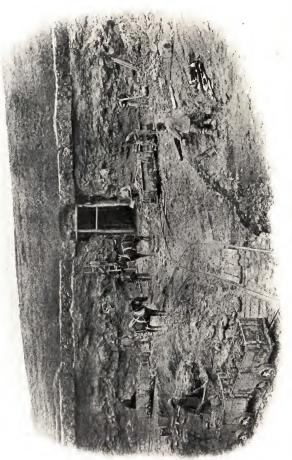
The first Minor plant was erected in 1869 at Empire, Ohio, with a capacity of 4,000 brick per day, the works enlarged and the output gradually increased and the sale of the product extended until most of the steel and iron manufacturers became acquainted with the brick and preferred them for many uses.

In January, 1900, this plant was destroyed by fire, but was rebuilt the same year on the most modern and improved plans, and today stands as a model in all that goes to make a perfect fire brick factory. The capacity of the plant is now 30,000 per day, and the brick are more perfect from standpoint of quality and workmanship than ever before.

The "Minor" brand have given excellent results in Boilers, Annealing Furnaces, Ladles, Hot Metal Cars, and give better service in Cupolas than any other brand on the market.

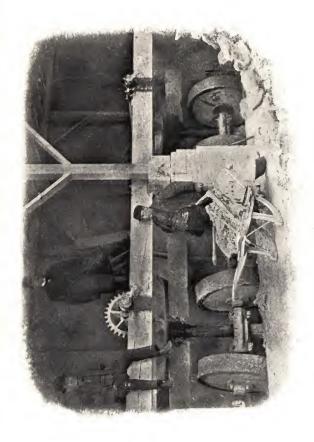
The "Empire" brand are hand made, repressed brick, and because of their extreme denseness are especially suitable for use in Blast Furnace upper linings, Blast Furnace connections, Lime Kiln Tops, and other places where a brick of this kind is required.

THE MANUFACTURE OF FIRE BRICK

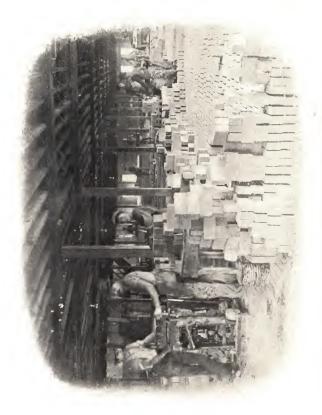


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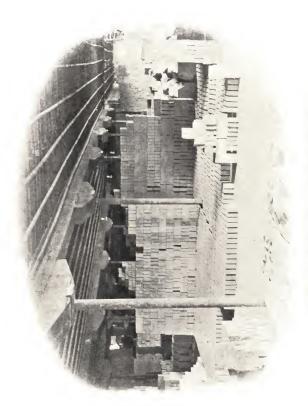
HAND MOULDING AND REPRESSING



BRICK MACHINE—SEMI-DRY PROCESS

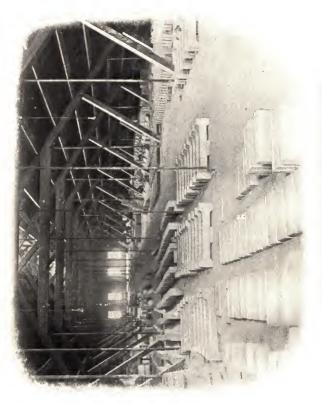


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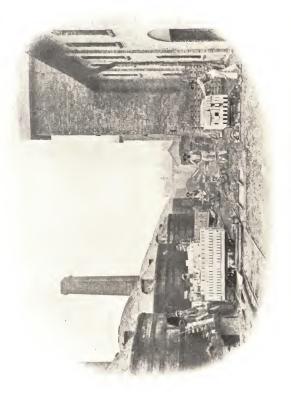


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LARGE SHAPES AND LOCOMOTIVE TILE ON FLOOR



BRICK GOING TO KILN



LOADING CARS



OUR BRANDS



"National" brand is manufactured from the highest grade of Ohio Flint Calcined Clay, together with selected plastic clay to form a good bond, giving a highly refractory brick, suitable for Heating Furnaces, Puddling Furnaces, Blast Furnace Stoves, Rolling Mill Furnaces, and furnaces requiring an open brick.

It is a hand made, repressed brick.

"National" Kentucky Mix. Made from our best Calcined Flint Clay and a Kentucky Bond Clay. We find that the affinity of this Bond Clay with our own Flint Clays, a higher grade of brick for some purposes can be obtained than with either all Ohio Clays or all Kentucky Clay, and the clays are prepared by the "Wet Pan" process, insuring a perfect and intimate mixture. Special attention is paid to the chemical and mechanical mixture of the clays in this brick, making it one of the most desirable and regular Fire Brick produced in this country.

"National 2" brand is manufactured from the highest grade of Ohio Flint Clay with a larger portion of plastic clay to make a more dense and firm brick. By the manipulation and selection of clays, this plant has been able to make Brick and Shapes that have heretofore only been obtained abroad; and in quality and workmanship we have been able to surpass

the Foreign Brick.



"Standard" brand is manufactured at our National plant, in both hand made and semi-dry pressed, for use in Gas Furnaces, Annealing Ovens, Sewer Pipe and Brick Kilns, Boiler Settings, etc. It is a well made brick of high heat resisting qualities, and uniformity of size, and will stand over 2,500° of heat without fluxing, and can be furnished in all shapes.

"S.-F. Co.-W."

This brand is manufactured to meet a demand for a pressed, smooth brick for general work, such as Boiler Settings, Brick and Sewer Pipe Kilns, Refuse Burners, Tanneries, Saw Mills. The brick are uniform in size and will stand work up to 2,500°.

"American"

This brand is the same in quality as the "Standard," but is in the West Virginia size, measuring $8\frac{1}{4} \times 2\frac{1}{2} \times 4\frac{1}{8}$. They are used for the same purposes as "Standard," and are a firm, smooth, true brick, suitable for mantel and grate work. These brick are well adapted for Crowns of Pressed Brick, Sewer Pipe and other Kilns. The size makes them desirable for dealers' trade as they weigh only 6 pounds each, whereas the full 9″ weigh 7 pounds each.

PERRY L. HOBBS, PH. D. ANALYTICAL AND CONSULTING CHEMIST.

The Stowe-Fuller Co., City.

Cleveland, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—

The fire brick submitted for analysis gave the following results:

				National	Standard
Silica Si O ₂ , –	1	ĵ	1	61.36	62.20
Alumina Al ₂ O ₃ ,	I	1	1	35.09	32.07
Lime Ca O, -	1	ı	1	.48	.70
Magnesia Mg O,	I	ı	!	60.	.65
Iron Peroxide Fe ₂ O ₃ , Titanic Oxide Ti O,	03,	1	1	2.91	4.01

The above clays should make first-class brick, judging from their chemical composition.

Yours truly, PERRY L. HOBBS.



BRANDS L. H. Steel—Penn—Aluminite

Since establishing our business we have always found it necessary to have a High Grade Pennsylvania Clay Brick. Finding that most all of the old brands were deteriorating, either from exhaustion of the good clays or because of the attempt to manufacture quantity instead of quality, we were obliged to establish our own factory in that State. After spending two years searching for the best Fire Clay property in Pennsylvania we selected Lock Haven as being the most desirable location on account of the deposits of high grade clay at that point.

With the erection of a new and improved factory, the latest and best machinery, and men of long experience to operate them, we placed on the market under the brand of "Lock Haven Steel" the best Fire Brick made in Pennsylvania. Recently improvements were added which facilitate the drying of large and difficult shapes. Brick are made here for use in Malleable Iron Furnaces, Open Hearth Furnaces, Blast Furnaces, Carbon Furnaces, or any other work where strictly No. 1 brick are required. The location of this plant is especially desirable for shipments to the great Iron and Steel centers of Pennsylvania and the East.

LOCK HAVEN FIRE BRICK COMPANY BRANDS

"L. H. Steel." A Flint Clay Brick for Malleable Iron Furnaces, Bosh and Hearth of Blast Furnaces, Open Hearth Steel Furnaces, Carbon Furnaces and work requiring ability to withstand heats of the highest practical temperatures.

"Lock Haven." For Inwall linings of Blast Furnaces, Kilns and Cupolas, requiring them to stand intense heat and also friction.

"Penn." For friction as well as heat, for Tops of Blast Furnaces, Lime Kilns, etc., a brick to stand wear.

The remarkable purity and regularity of these clays as given by comparative analyses below verify our statements in regard to quality.

Lock Haven Fire Brick Company

	Flint Clay by P. L. Hobbs	Flint Clay by Crowell & Peck
Silica	44.00	43.52
Alumina	42.12	42.18
Oxide of Iron	86	.42
Lime	24	.25
Magnesia	10	. 16
Ignition Loss	14.20	14.31



"Minor" Brick have an enviable reputation where a brick is required to withstand great friction besides heat. These brick give perfect satisfaction in Malleable Iron and Steel Foundries, Ladles, Cupolas, Soaking Pits, Annealing Furnaces, Hot Blast Stoves, Hot Metal Cars, Boiler Settings, Gas Producers, Lime Kilns, etc.



"Empire" Brand. These brick are handmade, repressed brick of special function qualities. They are extremely dense, and, because of this feature, possess great abrasive as well as heat resisting qualities, and are especially suitable for top linings in Blast Furnaces and Lime Kilns.



The Kentucky Fire Brick Company has been manufacturing fire brick in the Olive Hill district of Kentucky since 1902. Its works are located at Haldeman, Kentucky, where it owns several thousand acres of famous Carter County clays. Its mines show a wonderful deposit of clay, and have been systematically developed until sufficient proven clay is in sight to furnish high grade material of uniform quality for over twenty-five years without any further development. The remarkable purity and regularity of this clay is shown by recent analyses of clay taken from sections of the mines nearly a mile apart.

Silica	45.38	45.58
Alumina	40.52	39.86
Lime		
Magnesia	trace.	trace.
Alkalies	.94	.98
Iron Oxide	.60	.80
Loss in Ignition	13.34	13.40
	100.78	100.62



The Kentucky Fire Brick Company manufactures a number of well-known brands of fire brick for distinctly different uses and services. The brands and service for which they are recommended are as follows:

K.F.B. Co. Hearth and Bosh,

K.F.B. Co. Inwall,

K.F.B. Co. Top, for blast furnace linings.

K.F.B. Co. Stove No. 1,

K.F.B. Co. Stove No. 2, first and second quality brick for hot blast stoves.

K.F.B. Co. Roof, first quality brick for malleable iron works and high grade mill work.

Imperial Steel, first quality brick for malleable iron works, open hearth, puddling furnaces, soaking pits, etc.

In order to insure prompt and satisfactory shipments to customers this company carries complete stocks of standard shapes necessary for the service for which the above brick are recommended.

Shapes	Page	Brands	Shapes	Page	Brands
9-inch Straight .	33 33 33 33 33 33 33	National Standard Empire Minor L. H. Steel Aluminite Penn Kentucky Roof	No. 1 Key	34 34 34 34 34 59 75	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica F. R. C. Magnesia
21/-01/11/	33 57 68 74	Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica F. R. C. Chrome F. R. C. Magnesia	No. 2 Key	34 34 34 34	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel
81/4x21/2x41/8 Straight	18	American		34 59 75	Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica F. R. C. Magnesia
Soap	33 33 33 33 57 74	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica F. R. C. Magnesia	No. 3 Key	34 34 34 34 34 59	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica
No. 1 Split	33 33 33 33 58 68	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica F. R. C. Chrome	No. 4 Key	34 34 34 34 59	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica
No. 2 Split	75 33 33 33 33 33 58	F. R. C. Magnesia National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica	No. 1 Wedge	34 34 34 34 58 68 73	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica F. R. C. Chrome F. R. C. Magnesia
Large 9-inch.	33 33 33 33 33 57 74	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica F. R. C. Magnesia	No. 2 Wedge	34 34 34 34 34 58 75	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica F. R. C. Magnesia
Small 9-inch	33 33 33 33 33 57	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica	No.3 Bullhead or Wedge	36 36 36 36 36 58	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica

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Shapes	Page	Brands	Shapes	Page	Brands
Large 9-inch No. i Wedge.	37 37 37 37 59	National Standard L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica	No. 2. Neck	35 35 35 35 35	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel
Large 9-inch No. 2 Wedge.	37 37 37 37 59	National Standard L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica	No. 3 Neck	36 36 36 36 36 60	National Standard Empire L.H.Steel Imperial Steel F.R.C.Silica
No. 1 Arch	35 35 35 35 35 57 68 74	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica F. R. C. Chrome F. R. C. Magnesia	Feather Edge.	36 36 36 36 36 60	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica National
No. 2 Arch		National Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica	No. 2 Jamb	36 36 36 36 60	Standard Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica National
No. 3 Arch	74 58	F. R. C. Magnesia F. R. C. Silica		36 36 36	Standard L. H. Steel Imperial Steel
End Skew	35 35 35 35	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel	No.3 Jamb	36 36 36	National Standard Imperial Steel
	35 60	Imperial Steel F. R. C. Silica	Key Wedge	60	F. R. C. Silica
Side Skew	35 35 35 35	National Standard Empire L. H. Steel	9 x 3 x 3 Checker	36 36 36	National Standard L. H. Steel
	35 60	Imperial Steel F. R. C. Siliea	Edge Arch	37 37 37	National Standard Empire
Skew Back	35 35	National Standard	No. 2	37 37	L. H. Steel Imperial Steel
	35 35 35	Empire L. H. Steel Imperial Steel	Side Skew	60	F. R. C. Silica
No. 1 Neck	35	National	12x6x2½ Straight	61	F. R. C. Silica
	35 35	L. H. Steel Imperial Steel	12x6x2\frac{11}{16}x2\frac{1}{2} No.1 Wedge	61	F. R. C. Silica

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Shapes	Page	Brands	Shapes	Page	Brands
12x6x27 ₈ x21 ₂ No.2 Wedge	61	F.R.C.Silica	13½x6x2½x2 No. 1 Wedge	64	F. R. C. Silica
12x9x2½ Soap	61	F. R. C. Silica	13½x6x2½x1½ No. 2 Wedge.	64	F. R. C. Silica
12x9x211x212 No. 1 Wedge Soap	61	F. R. C. Silica	13½x9x2½ Straight	64	F. R. C. Silica
12x9x27\(\x\x\x\x\x\x\x\x\x\x\x\x\x\x\x\x\x\x\		2.71.017/11/04	"OA" 12-inch Orth Roof	65	F.R.C.Silica
Soap	61	F.R.C.Silica	"OB" 12-inch Orth Roof	65	F. R. C. Silica
12x6x3x2½ No.1 Arch	62	F. R. C. Silica	"OC" 12-inch Orth Roof	65	F. R. C. Silica
12x6x2½x2 No. 2 Arch 12x9x3	62	F.R.C.Silica	"08" 9-inch Orth Roof	65	F. R. C. Silica
Straight Soap 12x9x3x2	62	F. R. C. Silica	"09" 9-inch Orth Roof	65	F.R.C. Silica
Wedge Soap 12x6x3	62	F. R. C. Silica	"10" 9-inch Orth Roof	65	F.R.C.Silica
Straight	62	F. R. C. Silica	ORZ F		F.R.C.Silica
Wedge	62	F. R. C. Silica	Repair Shape Mill Tile	65 41	National
12x4½x3 Binder	63	F. R. C. Silica	18x6x3 20x6x3 24x6x3	41 41 41	Standard Empire L. H. Steel
12x3x3 Soap	63	F.R.C. Silica	No.1 Circle	38	National
12x6x5x3 Key. 12x6x2x3 Skew	63 63	F. R. C. Silica F. R. C. Silica		38 38 38	Standard Lock Haven Imperial Steel
13½x4½x2½ Binder	63	F.R.C.Silica	No. 2 Circle	38 38 38	National Standard
13½x6x2½ Straight	63 42	F. R. C. Silica National	No. 3 Circle	38	Lock Haven Imperial Steel
	42 42 42 42	National Standard L. H. Steel Imperial Steel	No.3 Circle	38 38 38 38	National Standard Lock Haven Imperial Steel
13½x6x2½x2 No. 1 Arch	64	F. R. C. Silica	No. 4 Circle	38 38	National Standard
3½x6x2½x1½ No. 2 Arch	64	F. R. C. Silica		38 38	Lock Haven Imperial Steel

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Shapes	Page	Brands	Shapes	Page	Brands
No.5 Circle	38 38 38 38	National Standard Lock Haven Imperial Steel	Whiting Blocks Nos.1 to 11	40	Empire
No.1 Cupola	39 39 39 39	National Standard Empire Minor	13½-inch 12-foot Key	42	National
No. 2 Cupola	39	Imperial Steel National	13½-inch 6-foot Key	42	National
apolar	39 39 39 39	Standard Empire Minor Imperial Steel	Standard Bottom Block	42	National
No.3 Cupola	39 39 39 39	National Standard Empire Minor	Flat Back Straight	46 46	National Standard
No.4 Cupola	39 39 39	Imperial Steel National Standard	Flat Back Arch	46 46	National Standard
	39 39 39	Empire Minor Imperial Steel	Mill Block 18x9x6	41	National Standard
No. 5 Cupola	39 39	National Standard	No. 1 Bridge Wall		Minor Empire
	39 39 39	Empire Minor Imperial Steel	13½x6½x6.	41	National Standard Minor
No.6 Cupola	39	National	No. 2 Bridge Wall		Empire
	39 39 39	Standard Empire Minor Imperial Steel	13½x6½x3	41	National Standard Minor Empire

LIST OF TILE CARRIED IN STOCK

Size	Brands	Size	Brands
12 x 12 x 2	. National Minor Lock Haven Imperial Steel	12 x 15 x 3	National Minor Lock Haven
12 x 15 x 2	-	12 x 18 x 3	National Minor Lock Haven
2 10 0	Imperial Steel	12 x 20 x 3	National Minor
12 x 18 x 2	National Minor Lock Haven Imperial Steel	12 x 24 x 3	Lock Haven National Minor Lock Haven
12 x 24 x 2	National Minor Lock Haven Imperial Steel	12 x 36 x 3	National Minor Lock Haven
12 x 12 x 2½	National Minor Lock Haven	6 x 18 x 3	National Minor Lock Haven
12 x 15 x 2½	National Minor Lock Haven	6 x 20 x 3	National Minor Lock Haven
12 x 18 x 2½	National Minor Lock Haven	6 x 24 x 3	National Minor Lock Haven
12 x 20 x 2½	National Minor Lock Haven	9 x 18 x 3	National Minor Lock Haven
12 x 22 x 2½	National Minor Lock Haven	9 x 20 x 3	National Minor Lock Haven Imperial Steel
12 x 24 x 2½	National Minor Lock Haven Imperial Steel	9 x 24 x 3	National Minor Lock Haven Imperial Steel
12 x 30 x 2½	. National Minor Lock Haven	9 x 12 x 4	National Minor Lock Haven
12 x 12 x 3	. National Minor Lock Haven Imperial Steel	9 x 18 x 4	National Minor Lock Haven

LIST OF TILE CARRIED IN STOCK-Continued

Size	Brands	Size	Brands
0 x 20 x 4	National Minor Lock Haven	15 x 36 x 4	National Lock Haven
2 x 12 x 4	National Minor Lock Haven	12 x 24 x 4	National Lock Haven
2 x 30 x 4	Imperial Steel National	20 x 20 x 4	National Lock Haven
	Lock Haven	9 x 27 x 4	National
12 x 36 x 4	National Lock Haven		Lock Haven
15 x 30 x 4	National Lock Haven	9 x 36 x 4	National Lock Haven

SHOWING THE FUSION POINT OF SOME OF OUR VARIOUS BRICK

HEINRICH REIS, PH. D.

PROFESSOR OF ECONOMIC GEOLOGY

CORNELL UNIVERSITY

Stowe-Fuller Co. Cleveland, O. ITHACA N. Y., MAY 22, 1913

Dear Sirs:

I beg to report the following fusion points for the five brick samples submitted by you:

		Degs. F.
Federal Silica Brick F. R. C. Brand	Cone 35 plus	3326
National Brand Kentucky Bond Clay	" 33	3254
Kentucky F. B. Co.—S. S. A. Brand	" 31	3182
Penna. L. H. Steel Brand	" 28 to 29	3074 to 3110
Minor Empire Brand	" 27	3036

I tested a sample of your Federal Silica Brick F. R. C. brand, and found that the same had a fusing point of over cone 35, the theoretical fusing point of this cone being 3326° F. This brick was tested by heating it up to this cone in a Deville Furnace. The fusing point was considered to have been reached when the brick began to lose its shape under the action of the heat. In the case of the silica brick it had not lost its shape at cone 35.

Yours truly,

Signed Heinrich Reis

Table of Analyses showing the Chemical Composition of "Minor" Fire Clay compared with some of the best known Clays of the World.

	Silica Si 0 ₂	Alumina Al ₂ 0 ₃	Ferrous Oxide Fe ₂ 0 ₃	Lime Ca 0	Magnesia Mg 0
"Minor" Clay Empire. Ohio	73.87	17.95	1.20	trace	.63
South Amboy. New Jersey.	72.70	17.58	1.42	trace	.43
St Louis Mo.	67.47	19.43	2.56	.41	.07
Stourbridge, England.	73.82	15.88	2.95	trace	trace
Coblentz, Germany.	71.38	15.66	1.19	:	.28
Woodhridge, New Jersey	71.80	18.92	88.		•
St. Ghislain, Belgium.	81.08	13.94	2.18	09.	.52
Seilles' France	71.17	23.53	2.31	.34	.20
Diesdorf, Rhineland	73.71	18.33	68.	trace	.10

STANDARD 9" SHAPES

The following cuts represent the principal nine-inch shapes that are used, and dimensions given are the long established standards adopted by Fire Brick manufacturers.

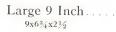
We keep large quantities in stock, and can make anything we do not have on short notice.

Please state what brand or for what purpose the brick are wanted.

The standard nine-inch shapes require from three to four weeks to manufacture, but very large and difficult shapes require much longer to dry and handle, and from six to eight weeks is required to get them out in first-class shape. However, we are in position to make any and all shapes more promptly than other factories, as we have improved mechanical means for cooling kilns and drying brick.

A carload of brick can be made and shipped as quickly as a few brick, as the same process is required.

9 Inch	417
Soap 9x2½x2¾	23
No. 1 Split	43
No. 2 Split	2 AT





Small 9 Inch......



No. 1 Key...

9x4½x4x2½ 12 feet diameter inside. 112 brick to circle.



No. 2 Key....

9x4½x3½x2½ 6 feet diameter inside. 65 brick to circle.



No. 3 Key Brick.

9x4½x3x2½ 3 feet diameter inside. 41 brick to circle.



No. 4 Key Brick...

9x4½x2½x2¼ 18 inches diameter inside. 26 brick to circle.



No. 1 Wedge.....

9x4½x2½x2 5 feet diameter inside. 102 brick to circle.



No. 2 Wedge.....

9x4½x2½x1½ 2 feet 6 inches diameter inside. 63 brick to circle.



	9
No. 1 Arch	S 27 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4
No. 2 Arch	53 Ry 2
9x4½x2½x1½ 2 feet diameter inside. 42 brick to circle.	9
Side Skew9x4½x1¾	412
End Skew	41 9
Skew Back	9 W.Z.
No. 1 Neck	470
No. 2 Neck	4,2

9x4½x2½x2

No. 3 Neck	41 30 9
Feather Edge	9
No. 1 Jamb	9 4-10 20/22
No. 2 Jamb	9 41 1/2
No. 3 Jamb	41 88
No. 3 Bullhead	9 N
Checker	3 0

Large 9 Inch No. 1 Wedge...

102 brick to the circle. 5 feet inside, 6 ft. 6 in. outside diameter.



Large 9 Inch No. 2 Wedge...

63 brick to the circle.
2 ft. 6 in. inside, 4 ft. outside diameter.



Edge Arch.....

9x4½x3x2½ Small Diameters, for Tuyere Stock Linings, and 2½ inch Pipe Linings.



Checker Tile...



Checker Tile...
Mill Tile....

No. 1. 15 inch Circle...
Inside diameter.
9 brick to circle.



No. 2. 24 inch Circle...
Inside diameter.
11 brick to circle.



No. 3. 36 inch Circle..

Inside diameter.

14 brick to circle.



No. 4. 48 inch Circle...
Inside diameter.
20 brick to circle.



No. 5. 60 inch Circle..

Inside diameter.
24 brick to circle.



Also 72, 84 and 96 inch Circles.

CUPOLA BLOCKS

No. 1 Cupola Brick...

Diameter, \\ \begin{cases} 42 \text{ inches outside.} \\ 30 \text{ inches inside.} \\ 15 \text{ brick to the circle.} \end{cases}



No. 2 Cupola Brick...

Diameter, \begin{cases} 48 \text{ inches outside.} \\ 36 \text{ inches inside.} \end{cases} \]



No. 3 Cupola Brick....

Diameter, \begin{cases} 60 inches outside. \\ 48 inches inside. \\ 21 brick to the circle. \end{cases}



No. 4 Cupola Brick....

Diameter, {72 inches outside. 60 inches inside. 25 brick to the circle.



No. 5 Cupola Brick.

Diameter, {84 inches outside. 72 inches inside. 29 brick to the circle.

No. 6 Cupola Block.

Diameter, {96 inches outside. 84 inches inside. 33 brick to circle.

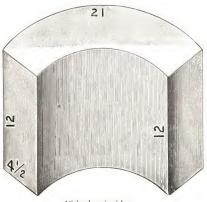
WHITING

CUPOLA BLOCKS



Si	Size Inside Diam.			side un.	Siz	e	Insi Dia		Outs Dia		
No.	. 1	23 i	nch	32 i	nch	No.	7	54 i	nch	63 i	nch
4.4	2	27	4.6	36	4.4	6.6	8	60	4.4	69	4.4
4.4	3	32	4.4	41	4.6	4.4	9	66	4.4	75	6.6
4.4	31/2	37	4.4	46	4.4	4.4	912	72	4.4	81	4.4
4.4	4	42	4.6	51	4.4	4.6	10	78	4.4	87	4.4
4 6	5	45	6.6	54	4.4	4.4	11	84	4.6	93	4.4
4.4	6	48	4.4	57	6.6						

BRASS POT LINERS



18 inches inside. 27 inches outside. Other sizes made to order.

MILL BLOCKS

18 inch Block....



No. 1 Bridgewall.



No. 2 Bridgewall.



Mill Tile..

18x6x3 20x6x3 24x6x3



BLAST FURNACE SHAPES

13½ inch Straight...



No. 1. 12 foot Key...



No. 2. 6 foot Key....

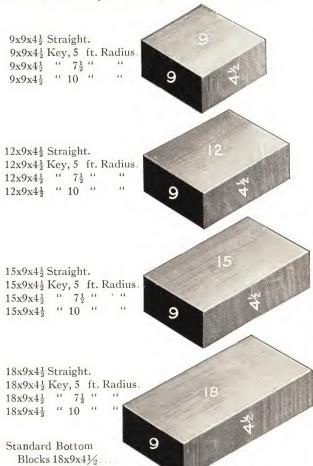


Standard Bottom Block...

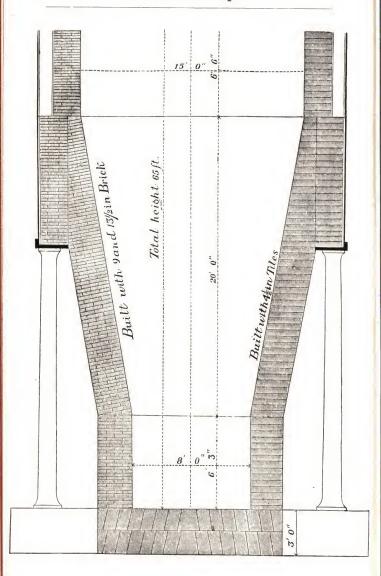


STANDARD BLOCK LININGS

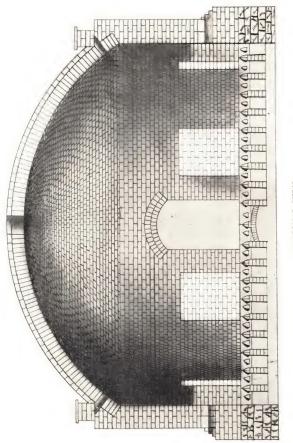
To meet the demand for Block Lining, we get up a Standard Block in 3 Diameters of Circle, which with Straight Brick as per cuts below will line any diameter of furnace and break Joints for any thickness of lining.



We also make above Blocks in 24 in. lengths. All Blocks 9x4½ on inside face tapered for diameter. In three grades for Bosh and Hearth, Inwall and Top Lining, branded to designate their position in the furnace.







POTTERY KILN BRICK

Our factories have been manufacturing brick for the Pottery trade for the last 25 years, and we aim to carry in stock Flat Backs and Flat Back Arch, besides the regular shapes for this trade.

Flat Back.



No. 1 Flat Back Arch..

32 inches inside diameter 56 brick to circle



No. 2 Flat Back Arch...

22 inches inside diameter

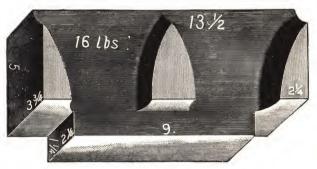
31 brick to circle



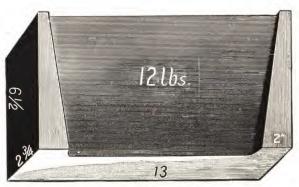
These brick are made up with special regard to standing the wear and constant heating and cooling of Kiln Arches. By the return to coal for the burning of these kilns, it will be found that the highest grade of brick will be required for this work.

We aim to make and supply these brick in the best quality known for this particular work.

KILN FLOOR BRICK



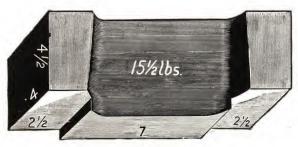
NATIONAL



CAMP

Other shapes made to order

KILN FLOOR BRICK



CROWN

Made 12 in. long.



METROPOLITAN

Made 13 in. long.

BALL AND SAGGER CLAYS

We furnish from Kentucky both Sagger and Ball clays. Our ground Sagger clays, used in conjunction with fatty Ball clays and grog, makes a tough Sagger that will stand great wear, heating and cooling without cracking.

Our Kentucky Ball clays are the best in this country. They are free from iron, and burn

very white.

We use care in mining these clays, and strip each vein separately to insure a uniform shrinkage. They make an ideal body clay for Tile, Pottery or China manufacturers, or any similar use.

FIRE CLAY

We furnish High Grade Fire Clay for all work. The following kinds are most in demand:

No. 1 Plastic.—Being of a very plastic nature is ground fine, this clay permits of a very thin joint, and one of the best clays for

general work.

Blue and Yellow.—A mixture of blue and yellow clays in equal proportion, used mostly in Malleable Iron and Steel Foundries, where extreme plasticity is desired.

"A" Grade.—A high grade clay finely ground and prepared for laying all High Grade Fire

Brick.

The mortar for good Brick work should be as good as the Brick and there is no better Fire Clay mined.

Minor Clay.—A clay which is almost entirely free from iron and other impurities, and high

in silica contents.

Silica Cement.—To get the best results silica brick should always be set up with silica cement. We are able to furnish the best grade of this material in any quantity.



(Trade Mark Registered)

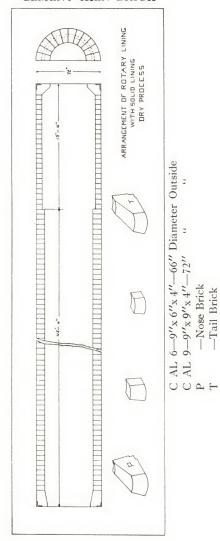
To meet the widespread demand for a brick which would give good results in Rotary Cement Kiln practice, we have developed our "Aluminite" brand. Ordinary fire brick cannot withstand the severe heat and friction to which they are subjected in these kilns, and to meet this action, we have prepared our clays in such manner as to result in a brick which combines both extreme hardness and high refractory qualities. Probably no other brick on the market today has given the excellent service in this particular work our "Aluminite" brand has given.

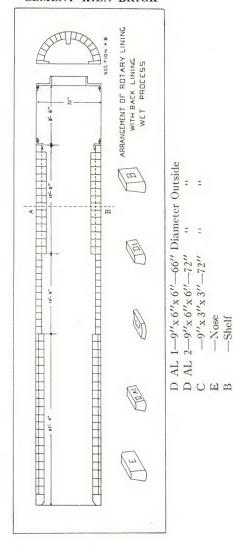
The following cuts show two designs for Rotary Linings, the Marl or Wet process and Stone or Dry process. The Wet process has a back lining or shelf brick made of a nonconducting mixture which prevents the loss of heat by radiation. In the Dry process this lining is not necessary, as the brick are made to retain the clinker coating in the hot zone, thereby serving to lengthen the life of the lining.

When ordering these blocks, always give diameter of shell and whether to be used for a Wet or Dry Process Kiln.



'ALUMINITE" · ROTARY BLOCKS ON DRY FLOOR







FEDERAL REFRACTORIES CO.



BRANDS

F. R. C. Silica-F. R. C. Magnesia-F. R. C. Chrome

This plant is located at Alexandria, Pa., in close proximity to large tracts of Ganister owned and controlled by us. We operate our own quarries, the rock being delivered direct to the plant on our own tracks. Recent improvements in the way of added equipment has made it one of the most modern and best arranged plants of its kind in the country. The brick are all hand-made, and the capacity is kept to the point where strict attention can be paid to the quality of the output. Each process in the manufacture of these brick is under the personal supervision of men having years of experience in this particular line.

Our Magnesite and Chrome Brick are made from the highest grade of Dead Burned Magnesite and Chrome ores, which we import direct. Silica Brick manufactured here have given the best results in Open Hearth Steel Furnaces, Copper Reverberatories, etc.

List of shapes of the brick usually carried in stock are illustrated on the following pages, and we are prepared at all times to make promptly any shapes not found thereon.

SILICA DEPARTMENT

The production of the highest grade of Silica Brick is contingent on the careful selection of the Ganister Rock and the experience and care in the manufacture of the brick through every detail of the mixture and burning.

New methods for the handling and drying of the green product have been introduced at our plant, and the result is a brick possessing features not found in other makes. Frequent analyses of our brick aid us in maintaining a very uniform mixture.

Our Plant at Alexandria, Pa., has over 60,000 square feet of floor space for the drying of special shapes. We have furnished for some of the largest By-Product Coke Plants and Gas Retort Benches the most difficult Silica shapes made in this country.

We give comparative analyses, taken from eight cars shipped from our plant, which was made by Chemists of one of the leading Steel Companies of America.

	ANALYSES OF BRICK									
CAR_No.	Silica	Iron and Alum.	Lime	Mag.	Loss					
E. L. 60511	96.15	1.10	2.00	.50	. 25					
P. B. & W. 952 P. Co. 559290	95.55 95.85	1.70	2.00	.36	.15					
P. R. R. 96677	95.25	1.20	2.10	. 50	.15					
P. R. R. 18857	95.36	1.40	1.80	.66	. 24					
P. R. R. 70785	96.15	1.50	1.50	.41	. 15					
P. Co. 579029	96.25	1.55	1.70	.72	. 20					
P. F. W. 515446	95.07	1.60	1.85	. 68	.13					

F. R. C. Silica Straight... $9x4\frac{1}{2}x2\frac{1}{2}$



F. R. C. Silica Large 9 inch.... 9x63/4x21/2



F. R. C. Silica Small 9 inch.... 9x3½x2½



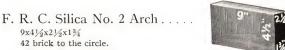
F. R. C. Silica Soap..... 9x2½x2¼



F. R. C. Silica No. 1 Arch.. 9x41/2x21/2x21/8



72 brick to the circle. 4 feet inside diameter.



9x41/2x21/2x13/4 42 brick to the circle. 2 feet inside diameter.

F. R. C. Silica No. 3 Arch.....

9x4½x2½x1 20 brick to the circle.

6½ inch inside diameter.



F. R. C. Silica No. 1 Split 9x41/x11/4



F. R. C. Silica No. 2 Split....



F. R. C. Silica No. 1 Wedge....

9x4½x2½x1½

102 brick to the circle.

5 feet inside, 6½ feet outside diameter.



F. R. C. Silica No. 2 Wedge . . 9x4½x2½x1½
63 brick to the circle.
2½ feet inside, 4 feet outside diameter.



F. R. C. Silica No. 3 Wedge ... 9x4½x3x2
56 brick to the circle.
3 feet inside, 4½ feet outside diameter.



F. R. C. Silica Large 9 inch No. 1 Wedge.....

 $9x6\frac{3}{4}x2\frac{1}{2}x1\frac{7}{8}$ 102 brick to the circle.

5 feet inside, 6½ feet outside diameter.

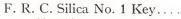


F. R. C. Silica Large 9 inch No. 2 Wedge.....

9x6¾x2½x1½ 63 brick to the circle.



 $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet inside, 4 feet outside diameter.



9x4½x4x2½ 112 brick to the circle. 12 feet inside, 13½ feet outside diameter.



F. R. C. Silica No. 2 Key...

9x4½x3½x2½ 65 brick to the circle.

6 feet inside, 7½ feet outside diameter.



F. R. C. Silica No. 3 Key...

9x4½x3x2½ 41 brick to the circle. 3 feet inside, 4½ feet outside diameter.



F. R. C. Silica No. 4 Key....

 $9x4\frac{1}{2}x2\frac{1}{2}x2\frac{1}{4}$

26 brick to the circle.

1½ feet inside, 3 feet outside diameter.



F. R. C. Silica Key Wedge...



F. R. C. Silica No. 1 Jamb....



F. R. C. Silica No. 2 Side Skew.
9x4½x2½x1¾
9x4½x2½x2½
9x4½x2½x2½



F. R. C. Silica End Skew.....





F.R.C. Silica Feather Edge...



- F. R. C. Silica 12 inch Straight.....
- 12" 2½
- F. R. C. Silica 12 inch No. 1 Wedge...... 12x6x3x2½ 10 feet inside diameter.



F. R. C. Silica 12 inch No. 2 Wedge.....

12x6x3x2 4 feet inside diameter.



F. R. C. Silica 12 inch Soap...



F. R. C. Silica 12 inch No. 1 Wedge Soap...



F. R. C. Silica 12 inch No. 2 Wedge Soap......



F. R. C. Silica 12 inch No. 1 Arch.....

12x6x3x2½

75 brick to the circle.

5 feet inside, 6 feet outside diameter.

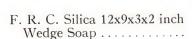
F. R. C. Silica 12 inch No. 2 Arch.....

12x6x21/2x2

75 brick to the circle.

4 feet inside, 5 feet outside diameter.





F. R. C. Silica 12x6x3 inch Straight.....

F. R. C. Silica 12x6x3x2 inch Wedge.....













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F. R. C. Silica 12x3x3 inch Soap....



F. R. C. Silica 12x6x5x3 inch Key.....





F. R. C. Silica 13½x6x2½ inch Straight.....



F. R. C. Silica 13½x4½x2½ inch Binder Brick......











F. R. C. Silica 13½x9x2½ inch Straight...



SILICA SHAPES

ORTH REINFORCED ROOF FOR OPEN HEARTH FURNACES
PATENTED









Shapes marked "OA" "OB" "OC" for 12 inch Orth Rib Roof Construction.

Shapes marked "O8" "O9" "O10" for 9 inch Orth Rib Roof Construction.

Shapes marked "ORZ" F are repair shapes for both 9 inch and 12 inch Roof when Ribs are spaced 24 inch centers.

CHROME DEPARTMENT



In this department the same personal supervision is used. Our Chrome Ore, which we supply either in lump or ground form, is far superior to any other imported ore. We carry all grades of Lump Chrome Ore and can furnish an ore best adapted to your use. In the ground form we have a mixture of our own which is peculiarly adapted to Open Hearth Practice and Copper Smelting Furnaces.

In Copper Furnace Roofs we have obtained remarkable results by the use of our Copper Furnace Cement which can not be duplicated by other manufacturers.

ANALYSES.

IMPERIAL CHROME ORE: (D	ry Ore Percent.)
Sesquioxide of Chromium	51.84
Protoxide of Iron	11.21
Peroxide of Iron	.68
Magnesia	16.88
Alumina	14.92
Silica	3.48
Oxide of Manganese	.60
Lime	
Sulphuric Acid	
Phosphoric Acid	
Combined water, etc.	.55
	100.18
Moisture in sample as received	09%

FEDERAL JAPANESE CHROME ORE: (Dry Ore Perce	nt.)
Sesquioxide of Chromium42.	31
Silica 2.	58
Oxide of Iron 15.	53
Alumina 21.	
Magnesia	66
Moisture0.	21
100.	00
FEDERAL TURKISH CHROME ORE:	
Sesquioxide of Chromium44.	5.5
Ferrous Oxide	
Silica5.	40
Lime	20
Magnesia19.	10
Alumina 15.	20
Maintain	30
100.	00

We use a combination of these ores in the manufacture of the Chrome Brick, which with our long experience produces the well known brand **F. R. C. Chrome Brick.**

Our brick are noted for their hardness, which, with our superior workmanship and high-grade ores, produce a brick which cannot be surpassed either in this country or abroad.

On the following pages are found shapes which we carry in stock. Special shapes will be made to order.

CHROME DEPARTMENT

CHROME SHAPES IN STOCK

9 inch Straight.....



9 inch Wedge... 9x4½x2½x1¾



9 inch Arch....



9 inch Split....



No. 1 Key

9x4½x4x2½ 12 feet inside diameter. 112 brick to circle.



No. 2 Key.....

9x4½x3½x2½ 6 feet inside diameter. 65 brick to circle.



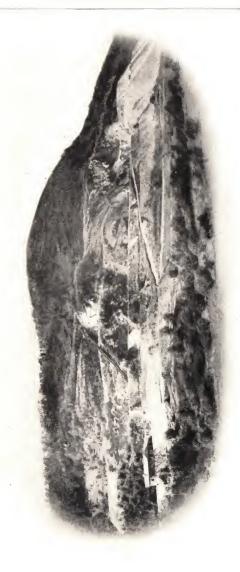
MAGNESITE DEPARTMENT

We import the highest grade of Dead Burned Magnesite from Europe, which is mined from the celebrated Magnesite deposits at Hisnyóviz, Hungary. This material is controlled and imported direct by ourselves and to insure nothing but high grade material we have our representative there at all times. As it comes from only one operation, which is analyzed daily, we can at all times maintain a very high standard. Our Magnesite is burned in the most modern Gas-fired Calcining Kilns and prepared by the best Magnetic Separator plant in Hungary. By the use of gas in the kiln, we keep ashes and all other foreign material from the Magnesite, thereby giving you nothing but clean material. In the old style of coal-fired kiln it is impossible to separate the ashes and foreign material from the Magnesite and you are compelled to buy a certain portion of ashes with your Magnesite.

By having only one operation we are assured of its uniformity and by the use of gas in burning we get cleanliness, thereby furnishing you with best Magnesite that can be produced.

We have made a very thorough examination of our deposit and know that we can maintain the same high standard for years to come.

We give on the following pages cuts of our plant and two average analyses of our material.



BOOTH, GARRETT & BLAIR

CHEMISTS

PHILADELPHIA

Federal Refractories Co., 307 Harrison Bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.

Gentlemen:-

In the sample of Federal Magnesite brick received from you on the 9th inst., we find

Silica	1.46%
	1.10/0
Alumina	1.50%
Oxide of Iron	7.58%
Limo	2 4 4 67
Lime	3.14%
Magnagia	06 2601
Magnesia	86.36%

Yours respectfully,

(Signed)

BOOTH, GARRETT & BLAIR.

ÁLTALÁNOS MAGNESIT RÉSZVÉNYTÁRSASAG

F. sz. 700

Lapszám 640

Vegyelemzés.

A megvizsgált anyag neme: Szemcsés magnesit. Szállittatott Ameriká, Nak

Próbavétel ideje 1911, Augusztus, hó 30 án.

Elemzési eredmény:

1.58% Si O_2 $\left\{\begin{array}{ll} \text{Savban oldhatlan marad\'ek} \\ \text{R\"{\it iickstand}} \end{array}\right.$ 8.93% Fe $_2$ O_3 Al $_2$ O_3 $\left\{\begin{array}{ll} \text{Vas-\'es Aluminium-oxyd} \\ \text{Figure and and Transity} \end{array}\right.$

2.62% Ca O

Solution Calcium-oxyd

Calcium-oxyd

86.73% Mg O Magnesium-oxyd
0.14% CO+ HO+

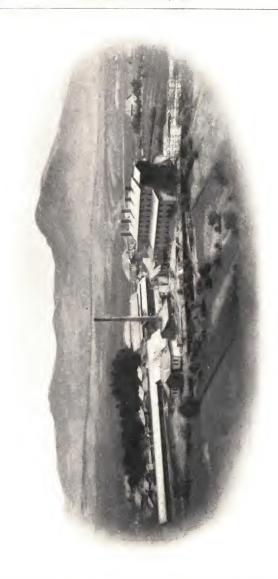
Nedvesség
Feuchtigkeit

Jegyzet. Napi productio, yjsli is nappali viálogatás.

Hisnyóviz, 1911, Szeptember, hó 1 én.

Látta: I. ZENSDCL. Az elemzést végezte:

HAVLINA ELEP.



MAGNESITE BRICK



Our Magnesite Brick are made from the material described in the foregoing pages. The brick are made at Alexandria, Pa., where we use every possible care in the manufacture of same. This with our long experience produces the famous

F. R. C. Brand of Magnesite Brick.

Excellent results are obtained from the use of Magnesite Brick in Open Hearth Steel Furnaces, Soaking Pits, Metal Mixers, Billet and Bar Heating Furnaces, Copper Reverberatories, Welding and Melting Furnaces, etc., and other places where they are subjected to continuous heat.

A list of the shapes which we carry in stock will be found on the following pages. Any special shapes will be made to order.

We imported the first Magnesite Brick we knew of in this country in 1890, since that time the use of these Brick has so increased that they are now manufactured at five different plants and the quality and workmanship of Federal Magnesite Brick is far better than those made abroad.

MAGNESITE DEPARTMENT

MAGNESITE SHAPES IN STOCK

Straight, Standard Size......

No. 1 Arch, Standard Size 83/4x43/4x23/4x2 86 brick to the circle.

58 inch inside diameter.

No. 2 Arch, Standard Size

834 x436x236x11/2
54 brick to the circle.
30 inch inside diameter.

No. 3 Arch, Standard Size.....

8¾x4¾x2¾x1

No. 1 Wedge, Standard Size . . . 8¾x4¾x2¾x1¾



81/4" : 21/4





MAGNESITE DEPARTMENT

MAGNESITE SHAPES IN STOCK

No. 2	Wedge,	Standard	Size	
8342	43/8x23/8x11	2		

57 brick to the circle.

2 feet, 3 inches inside diameter.



81/4 2/8

Split, Standard Size......

87. - 84

No. 1 Key, Standard Size...

83/4 x43/8 x4x23/8

107 brick to the circle.10 feet, 8 inches inside diameter

83/4" 2½

No. 2 Key, Standard Size



No. 3 Key, Standard Size...



No. 3 Neck, Standard Size 4%x8¾x2¾x5%



TABLE
Showing Number of Arch Bricks Required for Various Circles.

Dian of Ci		No. 2 Arch.	No. 1 Arch.	9-inch.	Total
Ft.	In. 0	42.			42.
2	6	10.	40.		50.
3	0		57.		57.
3	6		57.	7.	64.
4	0		57.	15.	72.
4	6		57.	22.	79.
5	0		57.	29.	86.
5	6		57.	37.	94.
6	0		57.	44.	101.
6	6		57.	52.	109.
7	0		57.	59.	116.
7	6		57.	67.	124.
8	0		57.	74.	131.
8	6		57.	82.	139.
9	0		57.	89.	146.
9	6		57.	97.	154.
10	0		57.	104.	161.
10	6		57.	112.	169
11	0		57.	119.	176.
11	6	8	57.	127.	184.
12	0		57.	134.	191.

TABLE

Showing Number of 9 inch Key Bricks Required for Various Circles.

Dian Cir		No. 4.	No. 3.	No. 2.	No. 1.	9 Inch.	Total
Ft.	In.						2.5
1	6	25.					25.
2	0	17.	13.				30.
2	6	9.	25.				34.
3	0		38.				38.
3	6		32.	10.			42.
4	0		25.	21.			46.
4 5 5	6		19.	32.			51.
5	0		13.	42.			55.
3	6		6.	53.			59.
6	0			63.	9.		63.
6	6			58.	19.		71.
7	0			52.			
8	6			47.	29. 38.		76. 80.
8	0			42.			
9	6			37.	47. 57.		84. 88.
9	6			31.	66.		92.
10				26.	76.		97.
10	0			21.	85.		101.
11	6			16.	94.		105.
11	0			11.	104.		109.
12	6			5.	113.		113.
12	6				113.	4.	117.
13	0				113.	9.	122.
13	6				113.	13.	126.
14	0				113.	17.	130.
14	6				113.	21.	134.
15	0				113.	26.	139.
15	6				113.	30.	143.
16	0				113.	34.	147.
16	6				113.	38.	151.
17	ő				113.	42.	155.
17	6				113.	46.	159.
18	0				113.	51.	164.
18	6				113.	55.	168.
19	0				113.	59.	172.
19	6				113.	63.	176.
20	0				113.	67.	180.
20	6				113.	72.	185.
21	ő				113.	76.	189.
21	6				113.	80.	193.
22	Ö				113.	84.	197.
22	6				113.	88.	201.
23	0				113.	93.	206.
23	6				113.	97.	210.
24	0				113.	101.	214.
24	6				113.	105.	218.
25	0				113.	109.	222.
2.5	6				113.	113.	226.

TABLEShowing Number of Wedge Bricks Required

Showing Number of Wedge Bricks Required for Various Circles.

Dian of C Insi		No. 2 Wedge.	No. 1 Wedge.	9 Inch, or Square.	Total
Ft.	In.				
2	6	60.			60.
3	0	48.	20.		68.
3	6	36.	40.		76.
4	0	24.	59.		83.
4	6	12.	79.		91.
5	0		98.		98.
5	6		98.	8.	106.
6	0		98.	15.	113.
6	6		98.	23.	121.
7	0		98.	30.	128.
7	6		98.	38.	136.
8	0		98.	46.	144.
8	6		98.	53.	151.
9	0		98.	61.	159.
9	6		98.	68.	166.
10	0		98.	76.	174.
10	6		98.	83.	181.
11	0		98.	91.	189.
11	6		98.	98.	196.
12	0		98.	106.	204.

TABLE

Showing Number of "13½ in." Key Bricks Required for Various Circles.

Diameter of Circle.	No. 2 Key.	No. 1 Key.	Straights.	Total.
Ft. In.	-		-	
6 0	53.			53.
6 6	52.	5.		57.
7 0	48.	12.		60.
7 6 8 0 8 6	42.	21.		63.
8 0	36.	30.		66.
8 6	30.	40.		70.
9 0	24.	49.		73.
9 6	18.	58.		76.
10 0	12.	67.		79.
10 6	8.	74.		82.
11 0	6.	79.		85.
11 6	4.	84.		88.
12 0	1.	91.		91.
12 6		91.	3.	91.
13 0		91.	6.	
13 6		91.	9.	97.
14 0		91.		100.
14 6		91.	13.	104.
15 0		91.	16.	107.
15 6			19.	110.
16 0		91.	22.	113.
16 6		91.	25.	116.
17 0		91.	28.	119.
		91.	31.	122.
		91.	34.	125.
18 0		91.	37.	128.
18 6		91.	40.	131.
19 0		91.	43.	134.
19 6		91.	46.	137.
20 0		91.	49.	140.
20 6		91.	52.	143.
21 0		91.	56.	147.
21 6		91.	59.	150.
22 0		91.	62.	153.
22 6		91.	65.	156.
23 0		91.	68.	159.
23 6		91.	71.	162.
24 0		91.	74.	165.
24 6		91.	77.	168.
25 0		91.	81.	172.
25 6		91.	84.	175.

CIRCUMFERENCE OF CIRCLES

Diam.	Circum.	Diam	Circum.	Diam.	Circum.
1/6	.3926	12	37.69	32	100.5
1/8 1/4	.7854	1/2	39.27	33	103.6
3/	1.178	13	40.84	34	106.8
1/8	1.570	1/	42.41	35	100.0
52	1.963	14	43.98	36	113.0
3/8	2.356	14	45.55	37	116.2
74	2.748	15	47.12	38	119.3
1 /8	3.141	1/	48.69	39	122.5
1/	3.534	16	50.26	40	125.6
78	3.972	1/	51.83	41	128.8
3/4	4.319	17	53.40	42	131.9
18	4.712	1/	54.97	43	135.0
5/2	5.105	18	56.54	44	138.2
3/8	5.497	1/	58.11	45	141.3
74	5.890	19 72	59.69	46	141.5
2 8	6.283	1/	61.26	47	147.6
1/	7.068	20 22	62.83	48	150.7
14	7.854		64.40	49	153.9
$\frac{1}{3}\frac{2}{4}$	8.639	21	65.97	50	157.0
2 4	9.424	1/2	67.54	51	160.2
1/	10.21	22	69.11	52	163.3
14	10.21	14	70.68	53	166.5
3/4	11.78	23	72.25	54	169.6
4	12.56	1/2	73.82	55	172.7
16	14.13	24	75.39	56	175.9
5	15.70	16	76.96	57	179.0
1/2	17.27	25	78.54	58	182.2
6	18.84	1/2	80.11	59	185.3
1/2	20.42	26	81.68	60	188.4
7	21.99	1/2	83.25	61	191.6
1/6	23.56	27	84.82	62	194.7
8 2	25.13	1/2	86.39	63	197.9
1/2	26.70	28	87.96	64	201.0
9 2	28.27	1/6	89.53	65	204.2
1/2	29.84	29	91.10	66	207.3
0^{72}	31.41	1/2	92.68	67	210.4
1/2	32.98	30	93.24	68	213.6
1	34.55	1/2	95.82	69	216.7
1/2	36.12	31	97.38	70	219.9
/2	00.12	1/2	98.96	10	417.9

WORKING TEMPERATURES

	°Cent	°F.
Blast furnace at tuyeres	2000	3632
Blast furnace tapping	1600	2912
Open hearth furnace during boil.	1500	2732
Medium hard steel at tapping	1600	2912
Gas leaving producers	700	1292
Gas leaving regenerators	1200	2192
Air leaving regenerators	1100	2012
Waste gas at stack	300	572
Medium steel ready to roll	1050	1922
Glass pots working	1050	1922
Glass pots refining	1325	2417
Tanks for casting glass	1325	2417
Crucible steel furnace	1300	2372
Cement rotary clinkering	1684	3000
Shale drain tile burning	871	1600
Composition earthenware	1015	1860
Fire clay stoneware burning	1610	2922
Fire clay sewer pipe, hottest	1048	1920
Shale sewer pipe, "	1016	1862
Fire clay paving brick, "	1048	1920
Shale paving brick, "	1000	1800
Under a boiler, "	1257	2295
Ingot being rolled	1065	1950
Heating furnace	1150	2120

TEMPERATURES

Table of Melting Points

To convert Fahrenheit degrees to Centigrade, subtract 32° and multiply by 5%.

To convert Centigrade degrees to Fahrenheit, multiply by % and add 32°

Tallow	92° F.	Silver (pure)1830° F.
Spermaceti	. 120° F.	Copper2050° F.
White Wax		Gold (coin)2156° F.
Sulphur	239° F.	Cast Iron $\begin{cases} 2000^{\circ} \text{ F.} \\ \text{to } 2200^{\circ} \text{ F.} \end{cases}$
Tin	455° F.	to 2200° F.
Bismuth	518° F.	Steel $\left\{\begin{array}{l} 2350^{\circ} \text{ F.} \\ \text{to } 2550^{\circ} \text{ F.} \end{array}\right.$
Lead	630° F.	
Zinc	793° F.	Wrought Iron. \{ 2700° F. to 2900° F.
Antimony	810° F.	to 2900° F.

The appearance of a fire affords a good indication of the temperature of a furnace.

(A little practice reduces the error of high temperatures to within 100° F.)

Red, just visible 977° F.— 525° C.
Red, dull
Red, dull cherry
Red, full
Red, clear1832° F.—1000° C.
Orange, deep
Orange, clear
White2272° F.—1300° C.
White, bright
White, dazzling
White, dazzing

Above table gives the colors of Iron caused by heat. (Pouillet.)

MENSURATION

LENGTH

Circumference of circle = diameter \times 3.1416.

Diameter of circle = circumference \times 0.3183.

Side of square of equal periphery as circle = diameter \times 0.7854.

Diameter of circle of equal periphery as square = side \times 1.2732.

Side of an inscribed square = diameter of circle \times 0.7071.

Length of arc = No. of degrees \times diam. \times 0.008727.

AREA

Triangle = base $\times \frac{1}{2}$ altitude.

Parallelogram = base X altitude.

Trapezoid = $\frac{1}{2}$ sum of parallel sides × altitude.

Trapezium—found by dividing into two triangles.

Circle = diam. squared \times 0.7854; or = circumference squared \times 0.07958.

Sector of circle = length of arc \times half radius.

Side of square of equal area to circle = diameter \times 0.8862, also = circumference \times 0.2821.

Diameter of circle of equal area to square = side \times 1.1284.

Parabola = base $\times \frac{2}{3}$ height.

Ellipse = long diam. X short diam. X 0.7854.

Regular polygon = sum of sides $\times \frac{1}{2}$ perpendicular distance from center to sides.

Surface of cylinder = circumference \times height + area of both ends.

Surface of sphere = diam. squared × 3.1416; also = circumference × diameter.

Surface of right pyramid or cone = periphery or circumference of base × ½ slant height.

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MENSURATION—Continued

SOLID CONTENTS

Prism, right or oblique, = area of base \times perpendicular height.

Cylinder, right or oblique, = area of section at right angles to sides × length of side.

Sphere = diam. cubed \times 0.5236, also surface \times ½ diameter.

Pyramid or cone, right or oblique, regular or irregular, = area of base $\times \frac{1}{23}$ perpendicular height.

PRISMOIDAL FORMULA

A prismoid is a solid bounded by six plane surfaces only two of which are parallel.

To find the contents of a prismoid, add together the area of two parallel surfaces and four times the area of section taken midway between and parallel to them, and multiply the sum by ½ of the perpendicular distance between the parallel surfaces.

MISCELLANEOUS

A perch of masonry = 24.75 cubic feet.

A gallon (liquid measure) = 231 cubic inches.

One pound = 27.7 cubic inches of distilled water at its maximum density (39° Fahrenheit).

A Gunter's surveying chain = 66 feet, or 4 rods, 80 chains making a mile.

One barrel of Portland cement contains 3½ cubic feet and weighs 380 pounds.

One bushel contains 2150 cubic inches.

One gallon (dry measure) = 268.8 cubic inches.

One cubic foot of water weighs $62\frac{1}{3}$ pounds and contains $7\frac{1}{2}$ gallons.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Avoirdupois

		1	
Gross Ton.	Cwts.	Pounds.	Ounces.
1	20	2240.	35840.
0.05	1.	112.	1792.
	.0089	1.	16.
		0.0625	1.

Long Measure

Miles.	Rods.	Yards.	Feet.	Inches.
1. 0.003125 0.000568 0.0001894 0.0000158	320. 1. 0.1818 0.0606 0.005051	1760. 5.5 1. 0.3333 0.02778	5280. 16.5 3. 1. 0.08333	63360. 198. 36. 12.

Square or Land Measure

Square Miles.	Acres.	Sq. Rods.	Sq. Yards.	Sq. Feet.	Sq. Ins
1	640.	102400 . 160 .	3097600 . 4840 .	27878400 . 43560 .	6272640.
		1.	30.25	272.25 9.	39204. 1296.
			0.111	1. 0.0069	144.

Cubic or Solid Measure

Cubic Yard.	Cubic Foot.	Cubic Inches.
1	27.	46656
	1.	1728

Dry Measure

Struck Bu.	Pecks.	Quarts.	Pints.	Gallons.
1	4	32.	64.	8.
	1	8.	16.	2.
		1.	2.	0.25
		0.5	1.	0.125
		4.	8.	1.

SURVEYOR'S MEASURE

Sq. Mile.	Sq. Acre.	Sq. Chains.	Sq. Rods.
1	640	6400	102400
	1	10	160
		1	10

7.92 in. = 1 link. 25 links = 1 rod. 4 rods = 1 chain.

METRIC SYSTEM

Linear Measu	ire	Measures	of S	urface
Denomination. Abr.	Value.	Denomination.	Abr.	Value.
Myriameter. km Kilometer km Hectometer. Dekameter m Decimeter dm Centimeter cm Millimeter mm	10000m 1000m 100m 10m 1m .1m .01m	Sq. Kilometer Hectare Are. {Centare Sq. Meter Sq. Decimeter Sq. Centimeter Sq. Millimeter	ha a m² dm² cm²	1000000m ³ 10000m 1000m 100m 1m 1m .01m .001m .00001m

Measures of Volume

Measures of Mass

Denomination.	Abr.	Value.	Denomination.	Abr.	Value
Kiloliter		1000. 1.	Millier		1000 kg
Stere		1000, 1,	Tonneau		1000 kg
Cubic meter	m3	1000. 1.		t	1000 kg
Hectoliter		100.1.	Quintal	q	100 kg
Dekaliter		10.1.	Myriagram		10 kg
Cu. Decimeter		1, 1.	Kilogram	kg	1000 g
\Liter	1	1, 1.	Kilo		1000 g
Deciliter		.1 1,	Hectogram		100 g
Centiliter		.01 1.	Dekogram		10 g
Cu. Centim	cm3	.001 1.	Gram	ø	1 g
Milliliter	ml	.001 1.	Decigram	do	. 1 g
Cu. Millimeter.	mm3,	.000001 1.	Centigram	Ca	01 g
Microliter		.001 ml.	Milligram	ma	.001 g
			Microgram	y	.001 mg

WEIGHT OF A CUBIC FOOT OF SUBSTANCES

		1019	
Aluminum	 	162	2
Anthropita Solid	 	. 9.	,
Amtheorita Tooga	 	. 54	ŧ
Ash, White, Dry	 	.38	3
Asphaltum	 	. 8	7
Brass, Cast	 	50	4
Brass, Rolled	 	52	4
Brick, Best Pressed	 	1.50	ñ
Brick, Best Pressed	 	12	5
Brick, Common, Hard	 	10	ň
Brick, Soft, Inferior	 ٠.	1 4	n
Brick Work, Pressed	 	1 1	2
Brick Work, Ordinary	 	12	0
Brick, Fire	 -	12	2
Cement, Hydraulic	 50	-5	0
Cement Portland	 	10	U
Cherry Dry	 	. 4	4
Chestnut, Dry	 	. 4	1
Clay Potter's Dry	 	11	9
Class in Lump Loose	 	. 0	3
Coal, Bituminous, Solid	 	. 8	4
Coal Rituminous Broken	 	. 4	9
Coke, Loose	 2	26.	3
Copper, Cast	 	. 54	12
Copper Polled	 	, 34	10
Earth, Loam, Dry, Loose		7	16
Earth, Loam, Moderately Rammed)5
Earth, Soft Flowing Mud	 	10	18
Elm, Dry	 ٠.		35
Flint	 ٠.	16	52
Flint	 	13	70
Granite	 ά	. 10	16
Gravel	 90	1/	12
Plaster of Paris	 	. 17	7.5
Hemlock, Dry	 ٠.		5.2
Hielery Dry	 		σ
Ice	 	28	: /
Iron Cast	 	. 4.	טיי
Iron Wrought	 	. 40	c_{Ω}
Load	 	. 1 .	11
Lime Loose	 		33
Limostone	 	. 10	O3
Oals Live Dev	 		39
Oals White Dry	 		อบ
Dina White Den	 		23
Dine Vellow Dry Northern	 		35
Pine, Wille, Bly, Pine, Yellow, Dry, Northern. Pine, Yellow, Dry, Southern.	 		45
Sand, Loose	90	-1	06
Sandstone	 	.1	51
Shale	 	1	62
Shale Snow, Fresh Fallen	 	5-	12
Snow, Fresh Fallen	 1	5-	50
Snow, Wet by Rain	 1	62	1
Water	 	02	64
Water, Sea	 		UH
7ino	 	. 4	31

Green Timber, & to 1/2 more than dry

USEFUL INFORMATION

Linear Expansion of Substances by Heat

To find the increase in the length of a bar of any material due to an increase of temperature, multiply the number of degrees of increase of temperature by the coefficient for 100 degrees and by the length of the bar, and divide by 100.

NAME OF SUBSTANCE.	Coeffi- cient for 100° Fahren- heit.	Coefficient for 180° Fahren- heit, or 100° Centigrade
Baywood, (in the direction of the grain, dry)	.00026 to .00031	.00046 to .00057
Brass, (cast). Brass, (wire). Brick, (fire). Cement, (Roman).	.00104 .00107 .0003 .0008	.00188 .00193 .0005 .0014
Copper Deal, (in the direction of the grain, dry) Glass, (English flint)	.0009	.0017
Glass, (English flint). Glass, (French white lead)	.00048	.00081 .00087 .0015 .00085
Iron, (cast)	.0006 .0007 .0008	.0011 .0012 .0014
Marble, (Carrara)	.0016 .00036 to	.0029 .00065 to
Mercury	.0006 .0033 .0005	.0011 .0060 .0009
Sandstone	to .0007	to .0012
Silver	.0011	.002
Water, (varies considerably with the temperature)	.0086	.0155

CHEMICAL ELEMENTS, THEIR SYMBOLS AND ATOMIC WEIGHTS

Aluminum Al. 27. Antimony Sb. 120. *Argon A. 20. Arsenic As. 75. Barium Ba. 137. Bismuth Bi. 208. Boron B. 11. Bromine Br. 80. Cadmium Cd. 112. Caesium Cs. 133. Calcium Ca. 40. Carbon C. 12. Cerium Ce. 141.5 Chlorine Cl. 35.4 Chromium Cr. 52.3 Cobalt Co. 58.7 Columbium Cb. 93.7 Copper Cu. 63.2 Didymium Di 145. Erbium E. 166. Flourine F. 19. Gallium Ga. 69.9 Germanium Ge. 72.3 Glucinum Gl. 9 Gold Au. 196.7 *Helium He. 2 Hydrogen H. 1 Indium In. 113.7 Iodine I. 127. Iridium Ir. 192.5 Iron Fe. 56. Lanthanum La. 138.5 Lead Pb. 207. Lithium Mg. 24.	Manganese Mn. 55. Mercury Hg. 200. Molybdenum Mo. 95.9 Nickel Ni. 58.6 Nitrogen N. 14. Osmium Os. 191. Oxygen O. 16. Palladium Pd. 106.2 Phosphorus P. 31. Platinum Pt. 194.3 Potassium K. 39. Rhodium Rh. 85. Ruthenium Ru. 103.5 Scandium Sc. 44. Sclenium Sc. 44. Sclenium Sc. 49. Silicon Si. 28. Silver Ag. 108. Sodium Na. 23. Strontium Sr. 87.5 Sulphur S. 32. Tantalum Ta. 182. Tellurium Te. 125. Thallium

^{*}The atomic weights of Argon and Helium are not accurately known.

SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF VARIOUS SUBSTANCES

2 60 - 2 75

Aluminum	2.60 - 2.75
Asphaltum	1.10 - 1.20
Brass	8.40 - 8.70
Brick, Hard Red	1.53 - 2.30
Aluminite Brick	2.65
Ordinary Fire Brick	1.40 - 2.00
Cement, ground, loose	1.85
Charcoal	.44
Clay, dry	1.80 - 2.60
Coal, bituminous	1.20 - 1.50
Coal, anthracite	1.40 - 1.70
Coke, loose	.55
Concrete	2.47
Copper	8.78-9.00
Earth	1.30 - 1.80
Glass, window	2.64
Granite	2.50 - 3.00
Iron	7.10 - 7.50
Iron, wrought	7.79
Lead	11.37
Lime	2.30-3.20
Lime, slaked	1.30 - 1.40
Limestone	2.46 - 2.84
Masonry, stone, dry	2.00 - 2.55
Masonry, brick, dry	1.50 - 1.60
Oak, dry	.69—1.03
Pine	.35— .60
Quartz	2.5 - 2.80
Sand, fine, dry	1.40—1.65
Sand, wet	1.90—2.05
Sand, coarse	1.40—1.50
Sandstone	2.20—2.50
Steel	7.26—7.86
Slate	2.60—2.70
Tin	7.20—7.30
Water	1.
Zinc	6.90 - 7.20

USEFUL INFORMATION

A Standard Fire Brick (straight) weighs 7 lbs.

A Standard Silica Brick weighs $6\frac{2}{10}$ lbs.

A Standard Magnesia Brick weighs 9 lbs.

A Standard Chrome Brick weighs 10 lbs.

A Silica Brick expands about $\frac{1}{8}$ inch per foot, when heated to 2,500°.

Clay Brick expand or shrink, dependent upon the proportion Silica to Alumina contained in the brick; but most Fire Clay Brick contain Alumina sufficient to show some shrinkage.

One cubic foot of wall requires 17, 9-inch bricks; one cubic yard requires 460. Where Keys, Wedges and other "shapes" are used, add 10 per cent, in estimating the number required.

In ordering Blast Furnace Linings customers should send us a sketch showing outline of space to be occupied by brick work, or inside lines with thickness of walls desired, if possible.

Those ordering for Cupolas and Stacks should be careful to designate in order both inside and outside diameters with height.

Silica Brick should be laid in Silica Cement and with the smallest joint possible.

To secure the best results, Fire Brick should be laid in the same clay from which they are manufactured.

One ton of ground clay should be sufficient to lay 3,000 ordinary bricks.

Ground Fire Brick or old Cupola Blocks mixed with Fire Clay make the best Cupola Daub known.

Be careful of your Furnace Stays. Silica Brick expand. Fire Clay Brick shrink.

Cool your Furnaces slowly.

Cold air after extreme heat is the hardest test on good Fire Brick.

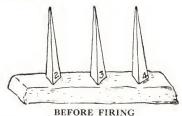
The minimum carload of brick or clay is 50,000 pounds. Clay or brick for shipment by boat must be sacked or barreled.

COMPARATIVE ANALYSES of Fire Clay used for the manufacture of different qualities of High Grade Fire Brick in this and foreign countries:

	Titanic OiT , bioA	Silica SiO:2	enimulA EOulA	Combined Moisture O ₂ H	Moisture O ₂ H	Iron Fe ₂ O ₃	Lime OsO	sizəngald Ogld	K ⁵ O Potash	sbo2 O _z sN	Total Impurities	Foss
Strasburg, O.	.45	55.87	41.39			1.60	.40	.30	.29	.20	2.79	
T	1.15	56.80	30.08	7.60	60.	1.67		:	2.30	:	3.97	
Woodbridge, N. I.	:	67.84	21.83	5.90	80.	1.57	.28	.24	2.24	:	4.33	:
Carter Co., Ky.	:	68.01	24.09	3.03		1.01	3.01		:	:	4.02	:
Clearfield Co., Pa	:	48.35	36.37	10.56		2.00	.07	.12	2.54	54	4.73	
Clinton Co., Pa	1.46	63.18	23.70	6.87	:	1.20	.17	.47	2.5	52	4.55	802.19
Clarion Co., Pa	1.02	44.61	38.01	13.63	:	1.25	80.	.41	1.7	.4	3.47	
Farrandsville, Pa	:	45.26	37.85	13.30		2.03	80.	.02	1.2	9	3.59	0.20
St. Louis Co., Mo		67.47	19.33	7.73	2.72	2.56	.41	.07	1.0	1/2	5.14	:
Göttwerth, Austria		65.60	20.75	11.00	:	2.00	1.65	Tr	T	:	3.65	
Stourbridge, England	:	73.82	15.88	6.45	:	2.95	Tr	Tr	0.0	0	3.85	
Glenboig, Scotland	1.33	65.41	30.55		:	1.70		:		:	3.58	
La Bouchade, France	:	53.40	26.40	12.00		4.20	69.		0.5	10	4.20	
Coblentz, Germany	:	55.46	31.74	9.37		.59	.19		2.49	89.	4.09	
Diesdorf, Rhineland		73.71	18.33	5.17		.89	Tr	.10	2.12	.24	3.85	:
Dowlair, Wales		67.12	21.18	4.82	1.39	1.85	.32		2.03		5.93	Org 90

SEGER CONES

What they are. Seger cones are little pyramidal-shaped masses of mineral composition, which soften and deform when subjected to the action of the appropriate heat. They are made in series, each member of which requires a different amount of heat-work to produce deformation. The difference in softening point between any two adjoining members of the series is kept as nearly equal as is possible, so that when the whole series is arranged in the order of fusibility they make a kind of pyrometric scale.



They were first produced in 1886 by Dr. Herman A. Seger, the foremost ceramic technologist of his time. They are not a patented article, as Dr. Seger gave his idea freely to the world, publishing his researches in full as he made

them.

Where they are used. They find their chief use in the clay industry and allied industries, where the heat treatment is periodic, *i.e.*, where the kilns, starting at low temperature, progress gradually to the maximum, and then cool off for drawing the product. In industries like those of glass melting, cement manufacture or metallurgical operations, where the furnaces remain continuously at a high temperature, and where the materials are charged in and taken out continuously, the cones are not recommended for use.

What they are used for. They are used to reproduce in a kiln or furnace the same vitrification treatment in consecutive operations. Their softening or fusion is not wholly a matter of temperature. The element of time enters in also. A longer exposure at a little lower temperature, or a shorter exposure at a little higher temperature, will accomplish the same amount of heat-work in the vitrification of clays or the fusion of silicates, provided the temperature is always above the critical point which is necessary for the chemical reactions to take place at all.

Both cones and clavs are affected by heat in the same way, and under the same chemical laws. Hence, when cones and clays are heated in the same kiln, the melting of the cones gives the best way yet discovered to judge of the vitrification that has taken place in the clay.



Temperature vs. Melting Point. For the fusion of any body of whatever nature, it is necessary not only that the critical point should be reached, but also that the temperature should be held a sufficient time to allow enough heat to be absorbed to convert the body from a solid to a liquid. This heat is called latent heat of fusion. For this reason cones, or any other device, depending upon the visible fusion of a mass of material, are not and cannot be an accurate mode of measuring temperature. Nevertheless, where the heat is applied at the same rate in consecutive burns, and the temperature is kept increasing steadily, the cones will melt at very uniform intervals. and may be used to measure temperatures with surprisingly consistent results.

For the convenience of users, a melting point expressed in degrees has been assigned to each cone number. This is fairly accurate for very rapid firing under closely controlled conditions in the laboratory, but in commercial clay burning the cones melt at lower temperatures than the printed table, depending upon the extent of divergence of the conditions. In extremely long firings, the difference between the assigned and the actual melting temperature may be 100° or even 150°C. This invalidates the cone as an accurate pyrometer, without at all affecting its reliability as a guide in clay burning.

The Different Series of Cones. The original cones, devised by Dr. Seger, covered a relatively narrow range of temperatures, and consisted of 20 different mixtures. There have been several series since devised by others, carrying the melting points higher and lower, until 56 different numbers are now being used. These are divided into four series.

The Hecht Series. For use only by china and glass decorators. This series is compounded of a very fusible lead-soda borate glass and kaolin, the glass alone making the softest cone, and successive additions of kaolin being used to raise the melting point of the higher members.

Symbol or	Approximate	Melting Point.
Cone Number.	Degrees Centigrade.	Degrees Fahrenheit
022	590	1094
021	620	1148
020	650	1202
019	680	1256
018	710	1310
017	740	1364
016	770	1418
015	800	1472
0121/2	875	1607

These cones are very sensitive to reducing gases, owing to the lead used in their preparation. The Cremer Series. Used for red-burning clays and for soft glazes, common bricks, sewer pipe, drain tiles, roofing tiles, flower pots, etc. Very few buff burning clays mature low enough for this series. It is compounded of a linie-soda borate glass, oxide of iron, feldspar, carbonate of lime, potters flint and kaolin, beginning with a large amount of glass for the softest cone and decreasing to almost none at the upper end.

Symbol or Cone Number.	Approximate Melting Point.	
	Degrees Centigrade.	Degrees Fahrenheit
010	950	1742
09	970	1778
08	990	1814
07	1010	1850
06	1030	1886
0.5	1050	1922
0.4	1070	1958
0.3	1090	1994
0.2	1110	2030
01	1130	2066

These cones are somewhat sensitive to reducing gases or to very sulphury conditions, and to long firing. They work best in burns of short or moderate lengths, where clear fires can be maintained.

The Seger Series. Used for the harder red burning wares of the vitrified variety, and for all buff burning and white burning clay wares. This series is compounded of potters flint, feldspar, carbonate of lime and kaolin. In the lowest three, oxide of iron is used in addition. No glass is used. The proportion of kaolin and flint increases as the fusion temperature increases.

Symbol or	Approximate Melting Point.	
Cone Number.	Degrees Centigrade.	Degrees Fahrenheit
1	1150	2102
2 3 4 5 6 7 8	1170	2138
3	1190	2174
4	1210	2210
5	1230	2246
6	1250	2282
7	1270	2318
8	1290	2354
9	1310	2390
10	1330	2426
11	1350	2462
12	1370	2498
13	1390	2534
14	1410	2570
15	1430	2606
16	1450	2642
17	1470	2678
18	1490	2714
19	1510	2750
20	1530	2786

Only the three lower members of this series are affected by reducing gases. All are less sensitive to sulphur fumes and endure long continued firing periods with less derangement than either of the preceding series.

High Temperature Series. Used for the testing of refractory materials, only. No clay wares are burned to such high melting points as this series. With the exception of the two lowest, only kaolin, potters flint and oxide of alumina are used in compounding, and the highest cone consists of pure oxide of alumina. No temperatures can be assigned with even approximate accuracy to this series, though 1850°C has been set as the melting point of No. 36. The melting points are therefore described by their effects on well known materials, instead of in degrees.

Symbol or Cone No.	RELATIVE ORDER OF FUSION.
26 .	Lowest grade for No. 2 refractory goods.
27	
. 28	
29	
30	Lowest grade for No. 1 refractory goods.
31	
32	Good quality No. 1 fire brick.
33	
34	Excellent quality No. 1 fire brick.
35	
36	Melting point of pure kaolin.
37	
38	Melting point of Bauxite of good quality
39	
40	
41	
42	Melting point of pure alumina.

Where Cones are Obtained. The German government undertook the manufacture of Seger cones at the Royal Porcelain Factory at Charlottenburg, near Berlin, shortly after their discovery. They are distributed solely through the Tonindustrie Zeitung, a clayworkers journal of Berlin. They can be bought in the United States from Eimer & Amend, 205 Third avenue, New York, and other chemical supply houses.

Manufacture of cones in America began in Columbus, Ohio, by Professor Edward Orton, Jr., in 1896. They agree closely with the German article in all respects, and as they sell in America at a lower price than the German cones sell in Germany, they have secured the great bulk of the American trade. They can be procured at a uniform price of \$1.00 per hundred, f.o.b., Columbus, Ohio, by addressing Prof. Edward Orton, Jr., Columbus, Ohio. They are not sold through agents or supply dealers.

TELEGRAPH CIPHER CODE

This Code is for the convenience and economy of our customers.

PRICES

AbacistAt what price per M and how soon can you furnish National Brick.
AbnerAt what price per M and how soon can you furnish Standard Brick.
AbortAt what price per M and how soon can you furnish S. F. Go. W. Brick.
AccidentAt what price per M and how soon can you furnish Minor Brick.
AccidentalAt what price per M and how soon can you furnish Empire Brand Minor Brick.
AccrueAt what price per M and how soon can you furnishBrick.
AccruedAt what price per M and how soon can you furnishCarter Brand Brick.
AccellAt what price per M and how soon can you furnish Federal Silica Brick.
AccelledAt what price per M and how soon can you furnish rederal Magnesia Brick.
AccellateAt what price per M and how soon can you furnish rederal Chrome Brick.
AccelludeAt what price and how soon can you furnish Federal Dead Burned Magnesite in grain form.
AccelludedAt what price and how soon can you furnish Federal Dead Burned Magnesite in dust.
AccentAt what price per M and how soon can you furnish Penn Brick.
AccentedAt what price per M and how soon can you furnish Aluminite Brick.
AccessAt what price per M and how soon can you furnish Lock Haven Brick.
AccountAt what price per M and how soon can you furnish Rotary Lining Brick.
AccordAt what price per ton and how soon can you furnish Fire Clay.
AciteAt what price and how soon can you furnish Federal Chrome Ore in lump.
AcitedAt what price and how soon can you furnish Federal Chrome Ore ground fine.
BalanceCan supply, in car lots, f. o. b. your city, National Brick per M at
Ballot
Standard Brick per M at
Standard Brick per M at Baste. Can supply, in car lots, f. o. b. your city, S. F. Co. W. Brick per M at Battle. Can supply, in car lots, f. o. b. your city, Minor

PRICES—Continued

BanterBrick per	M at
Banner	y, in car lots, f. o. b. your city per M at
BelfryCan suppl Haver	y, in car lots, f. o. b. your city, Lock Brick per M at
	oly, in car lots, f. o. b. your city, inite Brick per M, 9 in. count at
BankingCan supp Clay i	ly, in car lots, f. o. b. your city, Fire per ton in bulk at
BanishCan supp	ly, in car lots, f. o. b. your city, Penn

	Clay per ton in bulk at
Banish	Can supply, in car lots, f. o. b. your city, Penn Brick per M at
	SHIPMENT
Band	. Can ship at once from stock if advised immediately.
Bane	Can you furnish from stock. If not, how soon can you make and ship.
Brown	Can you duplicate last shipment and at what price.
Burton	We can duplicate last shipment at former price.
Boss	We cannot duplicate last shipment at less than.
Cabbage	What quantity can you ship, and how soon of.
Cabinet	You must ship quickly.
Cachet	Ship earliest possible moment.
Cart	. Ship by boat brick.
Cast	Ship by boatbarrels of clay in sacks.
Caddy	Can you ship at once
Cactus	Telegraph when you can ship and give route.
Case	Trace by wire and give car number and route immediately, must have delivery.
Cadence	Trace shipment by wire and send bill lading.
Cadger	Your order will be shipped
Bant	Can supply in car lots, f. o. b. your city, Federal Silica Brick per M at
Banter	Can supply in car lots f.o. b. your city, Federal Magnesia Brick per M at
Bantered	Can supply in car lots, f. o. b. your city, Federal Chrome Brick per M at
Bantel	Can supply in car lots, f. o. b. your city, Federal Dead Burned Grain Magnesite Brick per M at
Banty	Can supply in car lots, f. o. b. your city, Federal Chrome Ore in Lump at
Bast	Can supply in car lots, f. o. b. your city, Federal Chrome Ore Ground at

SHIPMENT—Continued

Cafard Do not make shipment until advised.
CastingShipNational for heating furnace.
CarriageShipNational for puddling furnace.
CasseShipNational for boiler setting.
CascadeShipStandard for boiler setting.
$ \begin{array}{cccc} \textbf{Cashbo} x & \dots & \text{Ship} & \dots & \textbf{Standard} & \text{for annealing fur-} \\ & & \text{naces}, & & & \end{array} $
CashierShipMinor for annealing furnaces.
Casino
CasterShipAluminite Blocks for Rotary same as before.
CastrelShipMinor Blocks for cupola lining, outside diameter is.
Castril
Castrilled Federal Silica Cement for laying Silica Brick.
CastroShipFederal Magnesite Brick.
CastrodShipFederal Chrome Brick.
CastrumShipFederal Chrome Ore Lump Low Silica.
CastruetShipFederal Chrome Ore Ground Low Silica.
CastutShipFederal Magnesite in Grain form for Bottoms.
CasturShipFederal Magnesite in Dust for laying brick.
CasualShip ½ each car brick and clay.
CatcallShipTons No. 1 Ground Fire Clay.
CanonShipTons Common Ground Fire Clay.
Candlebarrels of fire clay.
CaulkerShipcarload fire clay in bulk.
CraratShipcarload fire clay in barrels.
CalkShip balance carload square brick.
Cork Ship balance carload fire clay.
Cow Ship balance minimum carload square brick.
CatShip balance minimum carload fire clay.
CountDo not ship material until further notice on our order number
CableIf rate is same, route shipment via
CapableGive us specifications longest time possible before shipments are required.

SHIPMENT—Continued

Calythave you read for shipment.	У
CalfskinTelegraph date of shipment with car number an route.	d
Calico What date will you ship our order No	
Carius40,000 pounds is minimum capacity of carloa shipment.	d

ANSWERS

THIS WELLS
ChildBrick in kiln now burning, will be cool enough to handle in
Chilly Brick in kiln now loading, will ship
ChimeBrick loading, wire route and shipping instructions.
ChoirWe have shipped you to-day and will trace car number
Choke
Chink
Cheval
Chess
Chamois Factory badly crippled for want of cars.
Chasm
ChatRailroad promises cars for shipment.
Chapel
Chaos Have in stock in our warehouse here only.
Chalet
ChapterIf better rate is secured will give you benefit of same.
Cherry

ANALYSIS

HackQuote price delivered and send analysis of Aluminite brick.
HatoQuote price delivered and analysis of Chrome Ore.
HataQuote price delivered and analysis of Magnesite.
HandWhat percentage of Alumina does analysis ofbrick show.
HeartWhat percentage of Silica does analysis ofbrick show.
Hatebrick shows by analysis to contain Alumina to a percentage of
Hatbrick shows by analysis to contain Silica to a percentage of
HighAnalysis gives only a trace of
HelpFor your work what analysis do you require.

TELEGRAPH

MarbleTelegraph at our expense.	
MarketTelegram received and will have prompt attention.	
MastTelegram not understood. Please make it clear.	
MazeTelegram can be read by code but do not under- stand it.	
MarkTelegram received too late to	
MilkTelegraph when you will be in	
Main Telegraph whether quotation is accepted or not.	
Man	
Mall Please answer our letter of	

SHAPES OF BRICK

Faculty 9 in. Fire Brick. Facutel Large 9 in. Brick. Facial No. 1 Key. Faction No. 2 Key. Fagging No. 3 Key. Faggot No. 4 Key. Failless No. 1 Wedge. Failted No. 2 Wedge.	Fairy. No. 2 Arch. Fallacy. Side Skew. Fallow. End Skew. Falsetto. Skew Back. False. No. 1 Neck. Falsehood. No. 2 Neck. Fameless. No. 3 Neck. Famatic. No. 1 Jamb.
FairnessNo. 1 Arch.	Fantacy No. 2 Jamb. Fame No. 3 Jamb.
Farceout	
Farming inc	h outside diameter Circle Brick.
Fardel inc	h outside diameter Cupola Block.

SIZES OF TILE

Fanlight 12 x 12 x 2	Feast12 x 24 x 3
Farcical 12 x 15 x 2	Feaze
Farenell 12 x 18 x 2	Febrite 12 x 36 x 3
Farfadet 12 x 12 x 2½	Feeble
Fairibole	Federal 12 x 33 x 4
Farsh	Feetless 15 x 30 x 4
Fashion	Feline
Fastner	Fullness 20 x 20 x 4
Fastnet	Fellow 3 x 6 x 17
Fastening	Feldspar 3 x 6 x 18
Fastness	Felling 3 x 6 x 19
Fatalist 12 x 30 x 21/2	Felt 3 x 6 x 20
Fawn12 x 18 x 3	Female 3 x 6 x 24
Fealty 12 v 20 v 3	,,,,,,

RATES

Reform
Regard Give through rate of freight, carload lots to
RelaxGive through rate of freight, in less than carload lots to
Scoff

RATES-Continued

Scoopf. o. b. cars your city.
Silk We cannot obtain through rate to
Sigh Freight rate by rail in carloads to
Signal Freight rate by rail in less than carloads to
Signet Freight rate by rail and water.
Signat Freight rate, all water, f.o.b. dock your city.
Signow Freight rate including handling brick.
Calf Have raised your order to minimum carload.
CawCan we raise your order to minimum carload.
Crafish It will requiremore brick to make minimum carload.
Candor

MONEY

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DabOne	dollars.
DadTwo	44
DateThree	44
DareFour	44
DawFive	44
DaySix	
DaleSeven	
DaisyEight	4.4
DaftNine	4.4
Dart Ten	4.4
Dark Eleven	4.4
DoneTwelve	4.4
DogThirteen	4.4
DyreFourteen	4.4
Disgust Fifteen	4.4
DutySixteen	4.4
DareSeventeen	4.4
Dine Eighteen	4.4
Doctor Nineteen	4.6
Docile Twenty	4.4
Dodger Twenty-one Dogma Twenty-two	4.4
Dooma Twenty-two	4.4
Doleful Twenty-three	4.4
DocketTwenty-four DivorceTwenty-five	4.4
Divorce Twenty-five	4.4
Ditty Twenty-six	4.4
Diran Twenty-seven	4.4
Diran Twenty-seven Divide Twenty-eight	4.4
Distaff Twenty-nine Dogrel Thirty Distance Thirty-one	4.4
Dogrel Thirty	4.4
Distance Thirty-one	4.4
Disrobe Thirty-two	4.4
Disrobe Thirty-two Diuretic Thirty-three	4.4
DizzyThirty-four	4.4
Dirt Thirty-five	4.4
Dirt	4.4
Dire Thirty-seven	4.4
Distress Thirty-eight	6.4
Distress Thirty-eight Dissect Thirty-nine	4.4
DisputeForty	6.6
Diverge Fifty	4.4
DispelTwenty-five	Cents.
Displease Fifty	4.4
Disdain Seventy-five	4.4

DRAFTS

	Dropsy I (we) have to-day drawn on you, and expect				
you to protect draft for					
	Dross Will make draft on you for amount of your account, if we do not hear from you before the				
	Drover				

ORDERS

Depose
DeportCannot cancel order on account of brick being made up.
DepictDo not fill our order until you receive full instructions by mail.
DensityCannot fill order forbrick at once. Can we substitute something else of equal quality.

NUMBERS

Earn 500	Eider 24000
Eater 1000	Either 25000
Ebbing 2000	Effort26000
Ebony 3000	Efflux27000
Ecaille 4000	Early28000
Echatic 5000	Effect29000
Echelon 6000	Elegance30000
Echo 7000	Elder31000
Eclair 8000	Elicit32000
Eclat 9000	Elegy33000
Ecoiler 10000	Eloud34000
Ecurie11000	Effigy35000
Edacity12000	Enforce36000
Eddy13000	Engage 37000
Edge14000	Elbow38000
Edict15000	Egotist39000
Edifice16000	Eli xir40000
Edify17000	Elvan50000
Editor18000	Ember60000
Efface19000	Emblem 70000
Effete20000	Embassy80000
Emply21000	Emfat90000
Employ22000	Emperor100000
Embark23000	1

DATES AND TIME

	Ultimo	Instant	Proximo
1st	Vacant.	Wable.	Weary.
2nd	Vacation	Wad.	Weasel.
3rd	Vade.	Wadded.	Web.
4th	Vail.	Wag	Weed.
5th	Valid.	Wager.	Weigh.
6th	Valise.	Wagon.	Wend
7th	Valley.	Wail.	Whack.
8th	Valor.	Wain.	Whale.
9th	Vamp.	Wave.	Whang.
10th	Van.	Wake.	Wharf.
11th	.Vandal.	Walk.	Wheat.
12th	Vanish.	Wall.	Wheel.
13th	Vapor.	Walnut.	Whelp.
14th	Varlet.	Wampum.	Whiff.
15th	Varnish.	Wander.	Whig.
16th	Vary.	Wane.	Whim.
17th	Vase.	Wanton.	Whine.
18th	Vat.	Warble.	Whip.
19th	Vault.	Warfare.	Whisk.
20th	Vein.	Warm.	Whit.
21st	Velvet.	Wary.	Whoop.
22nd	Vender.	Wash.	Wicked.
23rd	Venom.	Waste.	Widow.
24th	Vent.	Watch.	Wife.
25th	Venture.	Water.	Wig.
26th	Verbal.	Wattle.	Wild.
27th	Verdant.	Wavering.	Win.
28th	Verdure.	Wax.	Winch.
29th	Verge.	Weak.	Wind.
30th	Verse.	Wealth.	Wine.
31st	Vesper.	Wean.	Window.

CONCLUSION

To give a complete list of cuts would make this catalogue too bulky and cumbersome for reference, and the aim has been to enumerate only enough to represent the extent and variety of goods we manufacture. We make everything and anything in the line of fire brick.

The manufacture of clay products is a science and an art, and it takes years of practical experience to learn the nature of the material, the tests to which fire brick are subjected, and much other necessary knowledge, together with the most careful selection of clays and great skill in mixing, moulding and burning.

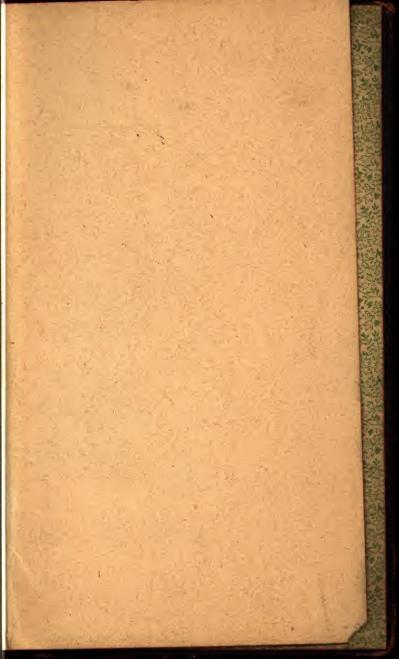
We own and mine our raw materials and coal, which, together with over 30 years experience, gives us a decided advantage in the manufacture of refractories.

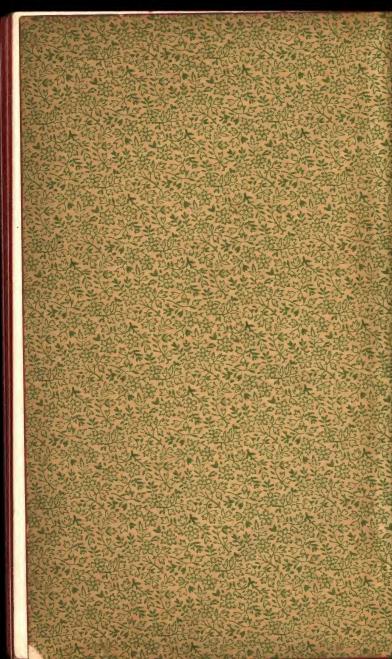
We invite correspondence, and are pleased to give any information in our power that will help our customers in the proper selection of material adapted to their special work.

In conclusion we desire to thank our many customers for past favors, and shall hope to continue our pleasant relations, and at the same time to add new patrons to make our business even more successful in future.

Yours truly,

The Stowe-Fuller Co.





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